## **MINUTES**

## CHARTER REVISION COMMISSION VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAYNE, FLORIDA

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2012

## COUNCIL CHAMBER 560 CRANDON BOULEVARD

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman at 7:00 p.m. Present were Commissioners Paul Auchter, Edward Briscoe and Chairman Michael W. Davey. Commissioner Mortimer Fried and Vice Chairman Martha F. Broucek were absent. Also present were Village Manager John C. Gilbert, Village Clerk Conchita H. Alvarez and Village Attorney Stephen J. Helfman.

The Chairman led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Davey made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 12, 2012 Charter Revision Commission Meeting. The motion was seconded by Member Briscoe and unanimously approved.

The Commission reviewed the following sections of the Charter:

Section 5.02. Initiative and Referendum. and Section 6.02. Procedure to Amend. The Attorney addressed the Council regarding these Sections.

Chairman Davey made a motion to amend these Sections so that the vote of the Village on a proposed initiative or referendum or amendment to the Charter shall be held at the next General Election. The motion was seconded by Member Briscoe and unanimously approved.

Article VIII. Transition Provisions. The Attorney and the Clerk addressed the Council regarding this Section. Sections 8.01, 8.04 and 8.08 will be transferred to Editor's Notes since they have become ineffective and no longer part of this Charter.

Chairman Davey made a motion to approve Section 3.07. Expenditures of Village funds. as amended (adding "lease") in (b). The motion was seconded by member Auchter and unanimously approved.

Chairman Davey made a motion to approve Section 4.01. Council meeting procedures. as amended (deleting "and resolutions"). The motion was seconded by Member Briscoe and unanimously approved.

Chairman Davey made a motion to approve **Section 4.14. Special Assessments.** as amended (inserting the following: The Village Council shall adopt, by ordinance, notice provisions and procedures for conducting such elections. The Village shall utilize mail-in ballots for elections held pursuant to this section). The motion was seconded by Member Briscoe and unanimously approved.

Chairman Davey made a motion to approve **Section 7.06. Charter revision.** as amended (change 5th to 10th). The motion was seconded by Member Briscoe and unanimously approved.

Chairman Davey made a motion to amend Section 7.06. Charter revision. to include the following: "after a supermajority vote of the Commission". The motion died for lack of a second.

The next meeting of the Charter Revision Commission has been scheduled for Monday, March 26 at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully submittedy

Conchita H. Alvarez, MMC

Village Clerk

Approved by the Commission

this <u>26th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 2012:

Michael W. Davey

Chairman

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